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**RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION
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VIA COURIER

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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Official Action dated August 11, 2005 and due for response November 11, 2005, Applicant encloses a Request for a three month extension of time with the fee for a large entity of \$1020.00 U.S. funds making this response due **February 11, 2006**. If there is any deficiency or surplusage of the fees enclosed for this Request for

Extension of Time, please obtain any such deficiency or credit the surplusage to Deposit Account 08-3255 and advise Applicants' Agent.